Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 17 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 18 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 17 Feb 2021 at 05:09

Confidence: High for changeable, and at times wet and windy conditions. Medium for cloud amounts.

Headline for Wednesday 17 Feb 2021: Mainly dry and bright around the middle of the day. Windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 17 Feb 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** Low Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** High Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Medium Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain showers (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
30%	20%	20%	40%	70%	50%

Forecast for Wednesday 17 Feb 2021

Weather: Dry and bright with some sunny spells today. Rain will turn heavy and rather persistent through the course of the afternoon and into the evening. Windy with a significant wind chill.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 80% this morning. 20% later in the day.

Visibility: Any cloud soon clearing, becoming very good through the morning. Becoming moderate or poor in rain with extensive cloud lowering to 400m later this afternoon and into the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	42/50 SW	42/49 SW	38/46 SW	36/45 S	35/43 S	47/57 S	55/68 S
600	29/35 SW	27/33 SW	28/35 SW	27/35 S	26/34 S	33/42 S	41/54 S
300	17/30 SW	17/29 SW	18/29 S	18/31 S	17/30 S	20/36 S	26/46 S
Valley	17/30 SW	17/29 SW	18/29 S	18/31 S	17/29 S	19/34 S	26/46 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	2/-7	1/-8	1/-7	2/-6	2/-6	4/-4	4/-4
600	4/-3	3/-4	4/-3	4/-2	4/-2	6/-0	6/-1
300	6/2	6/1	6/1	7/3	6/2	7/3	8/3
Valley	7/3	7/3	7/3	8/5	7/3	8/4	9/4
Freezing Level*	900m	700m	900m	1000m	1300m	1500m	1600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Strong winds throughout with gusts to gale force likely across peaks. Gusts to severe gale are possible by the end of the day. Full waterproofs strongly advised this afternoon.

Forecast for Thursday 18 Feb 2021

Weather: Cloudy with outbreaks of rain overnight and during the morning, Turning more showery in the afternoon and evening with some brighter spells. The showers wintry over the summits. Windy with a significant wind chill.

Maximum wind: South or southwest 30 to 35mph gusting around 50mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 50%, occasional or extensive cloud around the summits.

Visibility: Moderate or poor in rain or showers, otherwise very good.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 to 8 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 3 Celsius falling Zero Celsius by dusk
Freezing level: Above the summits lowering to around 800m by dusk.

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Ground Conditions Supplement
No recent ground conditions report available.

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